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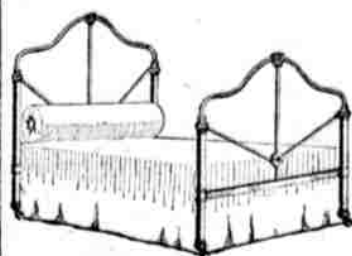
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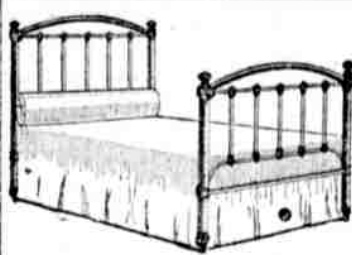
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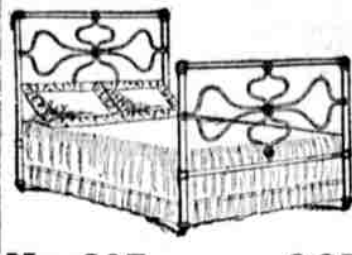
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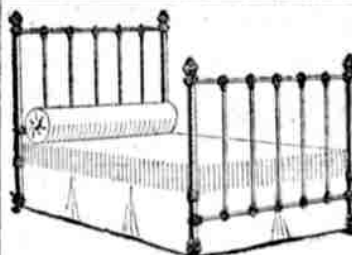
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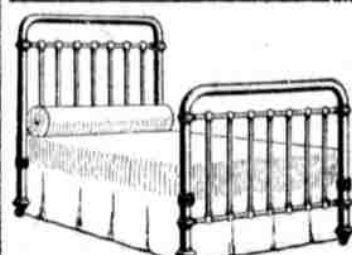
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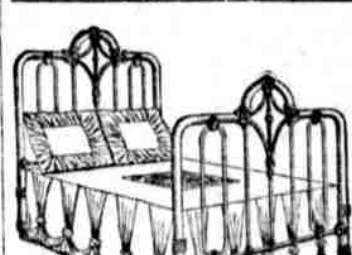
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BUSINESS MEN ON POL CONTROL

Chamber of Commerce Is for Authority By Territory.

Strong recommendations for the centralization of all health and sanitary power in the hands of the Territorial Board of Health were made at a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held yesterday afternoon following the discovery of a new case of cholera.

A resolution was adopted as follows, expressing the sentiment of the Chamber of Commerce in that regard:

Whereas, The need of conserving the public health requires that supreme control of sanitary matters be placed under one body, with authority to enforce laws, rules and regulations rendered necessary by local conditions; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce, now in special meeting, request the legislature of the Territory of Hawaii, now in session, to at once pass an act, with amendments, now before it, placing police shops and other sources of food supply, as well as all sanitary matters, including garbage and excavator services, under the control of the board of health of the Territory, and that early action be taken by the legislature to enact into law the various bills and appropriations now pending before it submitted by the administration.

Dr. Carl Ramus, of the United States Marine Hospital service, in a statement before the Chamber, asserted that it would again be necessary to place a quarantine upon Honolulu shipping, this time for a period of thirty days. Dr. Ramus said that a longer period than that approved during the last epidemic would be necessary this time.

In connection with a resolution offered by Robert Catton, favoring Federal control of health matters, Dr. Ramus was asked what steps would be necessary to secure action by the United States authorities. He replied that there could be no dual authority in the proper administration of health matters and that "the quickest way to get Federal control is to go on just as you are."

E. D. Tenney declared emphatically for a centralization of power in the hands of the Board of Health and presented the resolution, a portion of which was prepared by George W. Smith, chairman of the health committee, and which was adopted unanimously.

In giving his views on the problem George W. Smith stated that he considered it absolutely essential that the enforcement of health regulations should be in the hands of persons who do not owe their positions to political causes and can enforce the laws without fear or favor. He stated that the present situation was a menace to commerce and urged that pressure be brought to bear upon the legislature to cause it to take action in approving necessary bills.

President Mott-Smith of the Territorial Board of Health then proceeded to explain the difficulties which he had encountered and which he believed to be a constant impediment to the proper administration of health matters in Honolulu.

He stated that there were two fundamental principles to be considered, one being the power to be given to the counties and the other the extension of powers to the county governments. This, he declared, that powers should not be taken from the Territorial health department, but simply meant that the county could exercise duties in certain department of the work where it could be done efficiently.

Mott-Smith stated that he had drafted the police ordinance for the Board of Supervisors and also the police bill that was tabled yesterday by the Senate.

"But an ordinance unapplied is not worth anything," he said. "If you take all the ordinances which the Board of Supervisors have passed they will form a tremendously wide range of subjects. The impression seems to be that nothing should be done after an ordinance is passed. The idea seems to be to pass it and then let it lie dormant."

"What is the situation today? We have a police ordinance in the county. On April 1 the power of the Territory with regard to police shops ceased, and the county assumed control. We have no more power to close up the police shops than to close up a hotel under similar circumstances. The last legislature repealed every last vestige of power the board of health possessed over police shops."

"I have been informed that the police bill was defeated because the territorial board of health wished to take over the garbage and excavator departments," said Mr. Mott-Smith. "I was asked to withhold an effort to take over those departments, otherwise the city officials would see that the bill was defeated."

"I was also informed that they could not let the garbage and excavator departments go, for political reasons. They needed the jobs for the political workers and must retain

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